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For : MULTI-AIR CONDITIONER AND OPERATION METHOD  
THEREOF

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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, §1.97 and 1.98 and supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statement filed in the present application on November 20, 2003, Applicants hereby call the following documents, which were cited in a European Search Report dated November 13, 2003, for Application No. EP 03019208, to the Examiner's attention:

European Patent Application No. EP 0 575 063, published on December 22, 1993;

U.S. Patent No. 5,388,422 to HAYASHIDA et al., issued on February 14, 1995;

U.S. Patent No. 5,996,368 to KIM, issued on December 7, 1999; and

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U.S. Patent No. 6,125,640 to KIM, issued on October 3, 2000.

Applicants note that the portions of the above-mentioned documents which the European Examiner found to be relevant with respect to the various claims of the European application are as discussed in the European Search Report, a copy of which is attached hereto. Further, each of the above-mentioned documents are listed on the attached PTO-1449 form.

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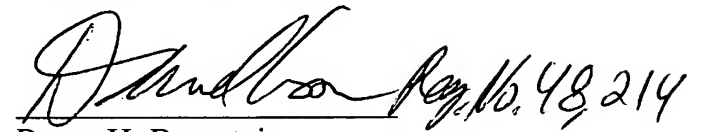
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Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	5 3 8 8 4 2 2	02/14/95	HAYASHIDA et al.			
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## OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)


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